

AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE

To All Who Are Interested In

THIS COMMUNITY

With the thought that this community must make a move now to prosper or fall by the way-side, a few citizens assembled recently and discussed the advisability of forming a Chamber of Commerce to further promote the general welfare and prosperity of this community.

The following took part in the discussion; Lawrence McNeill, Lacy Clark, Cecil Dew, Harry Greene, Israel Mann, Crawford Thomas, Bob Lewis, H. L. Gatlin, Jr., Lawrence Poole, Neill A. McDonald, Lewis Upchurch, W. J. Coates and Paul Dickson.

The sentiment of this group was unanimously and enthusiastically that a Chamber of Commerce should be formed as early as practicable and affiliated with the United States Chamber of Commerce.

It was decided to meet at the courthouse at eight p. m. next Friday, June 27, for the purpose of officially organizing the Chamber of Commerce of Raeford, North Carolina.

We feel that the success of this venture is of vital importance to every business firm in this county and we feel that your support and attendance at the organizational meeting are necessary to that success. Will you please come and spread the word and bring any others who have business interests in this county?

WE JOIN YOU IN OPTIMISM FOR THE FUTURE OF OUR COMMUNITY

AND WILL EXPECT TO SEE YOU AT THE

COURTHOUSE FRIDAY NIGHT